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(57) **Abstract:** A compound of the formula (I), or a pharmaceutically-acceptable salt, or in-vivo hydrolysable ester thereof: (I) wherein in (I) C is for example wherein A and B are independently selected from i) ii) and m is 1 or 2; R2b and R6b, R2a and R6a, R3a and R5a, are for example selected from H, F, OMe and Me; R2b' and R6b', R2a' and R6a', R3a', R5a' are for example selected from H, OMe and Me; R1a is for example optionally substituted (1-10C)alkyl; R1b is for example selected from NR5C(=W)R4, a), or b) wherein HET-1 is for example isoxazolyl and HET-2 is for example triazolyl or tetrazolyl. Methods for making compounds of the formula (I), compositions containing them and their use as antibacterial agents are also described.

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